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Our Docket No: 42P17297

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Frost et al.

Application No: 10/750,053

Filed: 12/30/2003

For: Pre-Exposure of Patterned
Photoresist Films to Achieve Critical
Dimension Reduction During Temperature
Reflow

Examiner: Kathleen Duda

Art Unit: 1756

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTIONCommissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 04/06/2006, the Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

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